

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

**NOTICE OF REVISED LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has adopted new Local Bankruptcy Rule 3007-1, Objections to Proofs of Claim, and has revised existing Local Bankruptcy Rules 4001-1, Motions for Relief from Stay and 9014-1, Motion Calendar and Procedure. The following is a summary of the new and revised rules:

**New Local Bankruptcy Rule 3007-1** establishes procedures for filing and setting for hearing objections to proofs of claim, incorporating a 44 day notice period, with the option of an abbreviated 30 day notice period. If the abbreviated procedure is employed, a responding party need not file written opposition prior to the scheduled hearing.

**Revised Local Bankruptcy Rule 4001-1** reduces the number of required copies of the Relief from Stay Information Sheet (EDC Approved Form 3-468) from two to one and requires the form to be filed as a separate document. The revision also includes three new requirements applicable to stay relief motions filed in chapter 12 and 13 cases. Other provisions of the existing rule are incorporated in the proposed revision to Local Bankruptcy Rule 9014-1.

**Revised Local Bankruptcy Rule 9014-1** eliminates the existing 22 day notice period, replacing it with a choice of a 28 day or 14 day period. If a movant chooses the 14 day notice period, a responding party need not file written opposition prior to the scheduled hearing. This abbreviated procedure provides a faster means of obtaining a hearing on a motion than the present 22 day period. Additional changes to the rule are intended to conform the local rule to recent changes to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9014 by providing a procedure for requesting an evidentiary hearing.

*For the complete text of the new and revised rules, please [click here](#).*

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For the Court

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